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Docket No. H 3540 PCT/US**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****OFFICIAL**In re: Application of  
Koester, et al.

Serial No. 09/831,432

Examiner: Necholus Ogden, Jr.

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Art Unit: 1751

TITLE: MACHINE DISHWASHING RINSE AGENTS AND METHODS  
OF USING THE SAME**CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION**I hereby certify that this paper is being facsimile transmitted to the Patent and  
Trademark Office on the date shown below.March 31, 2004  
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**UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136**Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the  
Examiner's Action dated October 2, 2003 be extended three-months from January 2, 2004  
to April 2, 2004.Please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1177 in the amount of \$950.00 for the  
three-month extension fee. Order No. 04-0164.The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee  
or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1177.


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Responsive Action has been taken by filing a REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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